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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

In connection with the above-referenced application, enclosed are translated abstracts from two non-patent literature documents that were previously filed in an Information Disclosure Statement on June 14, 2005. These references are as follows:

Located on Form PTO SB/08B at Cite No. C11:

Hirayama, H., et al. "Ultrasonic Atomizer with Pump Function," Tech. Rpt. IEICE Japan US88-74:25 (1988),

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Located on Form PTO SB/08B at Cite No. C14:

Maehara, N. et al., "Influences of liquid's physical properties on the characteristics of a multi-pinhole-plate ultrasonic atomizer," J. Acoustical Soc. Japan 1988, pp. 425-431, 44:6.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered and made of record in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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